

DEATH'S CONQUEST.

I so loved once, when Death came by I hid
Away my face,
And all my sweetheart's treasures she undid
To make my hiding place.
The dread shade passed me thus unheeding,
and
I turned me then
To calm my love—his down her shielding
hand
And comfort her again.
And, lo! she answered not, and she did sit
All fixedly,
With her fair face and the sweet smile of it,
In love with Death, not me.
—James Whitcomb Riley

The Poetry That Pays.

A poet, to have a successful sale for a book of verse, should bear in mind one potent fact—that the poetry for which there is the greatest general demand today is that which appeals to the heart, rather than to the mind. That is the secret of the greater sale of Longfellow's books over those of Walt Whitman; that is why Whittier outsells Browning; why a thousand copies of Dr. Holmes' poetical works are sold to one of Swinburne; why Will Carleton outsells Thomas Bailey Aldrich; why James Whitcomb Riley's poems sell as fast as they are put on the shelves, while those of Andrew Lang and Austin Dobson stand year after year looking at each other from the same relative position on the same shelves.

The cynical literary critic may sneer at Will Carleton, he may pick flaws in James Whitcomb Riley's verse, he may tell you that Eugene Field is only a newspaper poet, but does the public listen to the all knowing critic and buy the works of the long ago, better poets whom he chooses to call immortal? Ask the book-sellers; ask the publishers. To defy the reader's easy conception of a thought in a poem may be to have your name included in the intense literary set, but it will not sell your poems.—Edward W. Bok in Ladies' Home Journal.

Curing an Insane Patient.

A patient entered the consulting room walking backward, under the delusion that his head had got a twist round and that his face was turned the wrong way. Instead of laughing at him as I expected, the doctor entered into the case with the greatest gravity, taking his patient's head all over, looking into his throat and ears and sympathizing with him. The patient was at once won over and placed the utmost confidence in the doctor's assurance that a complete cure would be effected in a few days, voluntarily exercising the greatest care in carrying out the medical directions, which consisted in elaborate nothing to keep the patient occupied.

A day or two afterward the doctor met him with feigned surprise and congratulated him. "On what?" asked the patient. "Judge for yourself," replied the doctor, handing him a mirror. The man surveyed his corrugated countenance intently for a few seconds, when with the dawn of conviction there stole a grin into his stern features. Thanking the doctor, he skipped out of the room in a frenzy of delight.—London Tit-Bits.

An Ingenious Reason.

The excuses which are resorted to by European tradesmen to make American tourists pay higher prices than any one else pays are often more curious than ingenious. An American who had a fine pair of boots made by a London cobbler was astonished at the price which was demanded.

"Three guineas for a pair of calf boots! It is preposterous," said the American. "Indeed, sir," said the cobbler, "if you'd a-knewed that calf was in that leather! It was a blooded hainal, I assure you, sir, and bred on the estate of the Duke of Buckingham."

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A Remarkable River in Spain.

There is in Spain a river called the Tinto, which has very extraordinary qualities. Its waters, which are as yellow as a topaz, harden the sand and petrify it in a most surprising manner. If a stone falls into the river and rests upon another, they both become perfectly united and conglutinated in a year. It withers all the plants on its banks, as well as the roots of trees, which it dyes of the same hue as its waters. No fish live in its stream.—New York Evening Sun.

The Suicide of a King.

The late King Louis of Bavaria saved himself from deposition by a timely death, being found drowned in the fishpond of one of his palaces. He had no doubt been insane for many years, and his crazy expenditure cost his subjects so much money that, finding the state nearly bankrupt, they resolved to displace him, and the knowledge of this no doubt drove him to self destruction.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Chance to Prove His Love.

Suitor to her father—Sir, I love the very ground your daughter treads on. Father (grimly)—Well, young man, you ain't the first party that's had an attachment for it. Howsoever, if you love it well enough to come and help pay up the mortgage on it, like Jacob did, you can marry Sarah.—Exchange.

Now that the French have distinguished themselves in building canals, some Parisian engineers propose to span the English channel with a bridge 34 miles long.

From the safety of their operation in blood letting, the leech has been used for more than 2,000 years, and in many cases doctors could hardly dispense with their use.

An action may be so clothed as to change its proper effect on people. With most of us a sugar coated vice seems preferable to a pepper coated virtue.

One of the most distinguished suicides in this country was the Hon. John Davis, speaker of the house of representatives from 1845 to 1847.

Some think that Carlyle, while living the life of a student, was all the while dying to be something much more active.

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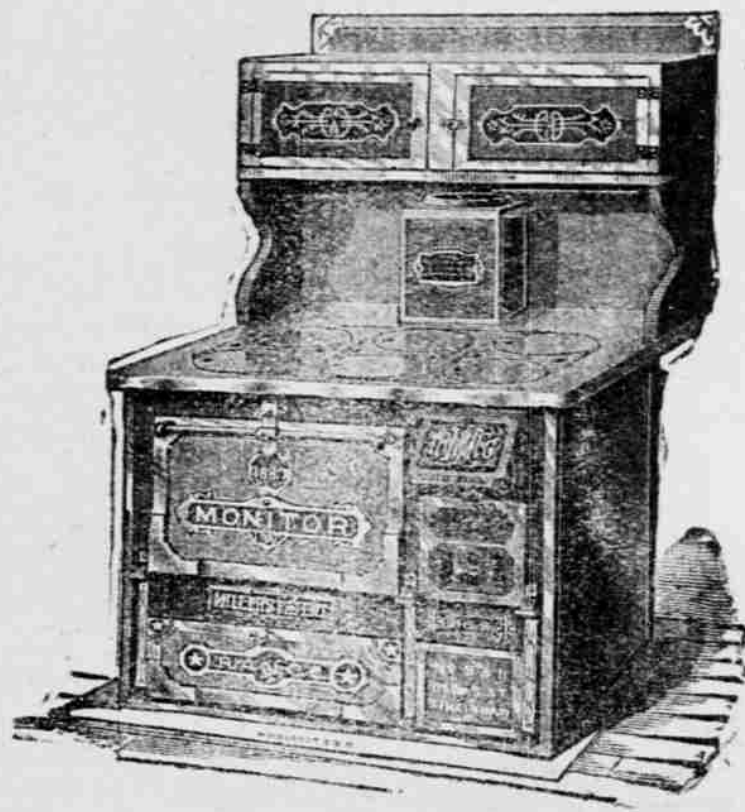
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